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| Attorney Docket No. | AMCC4480 | C/M # | 103747-165102 |
| First Inventor or Application Identifier: | G. Bendak et al. | | |
| Title: | System and Method for Programming the Quantity of Frame Synchronization Words in a Multidimensional Digital Frame Structure | | |
| Express Mail Label No.: | EL185717446US | | |
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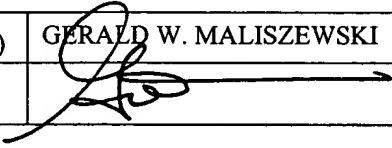
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| (1) For | (2) No. filed | (3) No. extra | (4) Large Entity | (5) Small Entity | (6) Calculations |
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| Total Claims | 94 - 20 = | 74 | X \$ 18.00 | X \$ 9.00 | \$ 1,332.00 |
| Independent Claims | 5 - 3 = | 2 | X \$ 80.00 | X \$ 40.00 | \$ 160.00 |
| Multiple Dependent Claim(s) (if applicable) | | | \$ 270.00 | \$135.00 | \$ 000.00 |
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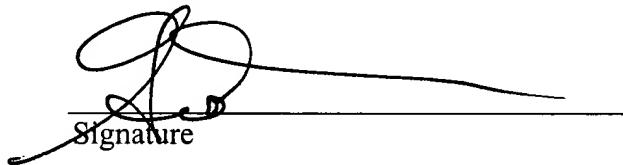
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